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Appl. No. : 10/567,084 I.A. Filed: July 23, 2004  
(U.S. National Stage of PCT/JP2004/010490)  
For : PRE-EXPANDED PARTICLE OF OLEFIN-MODIFIED POLYSTYRENE  
RESIN, PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME, AND MOLDED FOAM

**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

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Sir:

Please find attached a proposed Certificate of Correction.

Please correct the following error appearing in the printed patent. The error is apparently the fault of the inventors, as per the attached Certificate of Correction:

At column 28, line 9 (claim 2, line 1) of the printed patent, change "olefin-modified polystyrene-based" to ---styrene-modified polyolefin-based---. This appeared incorrectly on page 2, line 15 (claims 2, line 1) of the Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 filed on June 24, 2009.

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At column 28, line 23 (claim 6, line 1) of the printed patent, change “olefin-modified polystyrene-based” to ---styrene-modified polyolefin-based---. This appeared incorrectly on page 3, line 9 (claims 6, line 1) of the Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 filed on June 24, 2009.

At column 28, line 57 (claim 8, line 1) of the printed patent, change “olefin-modified polystyrene-based” to ---styrene-modified polyolefin-based---. This appeared incorrectly on page 4, line 13 (claims 8, line 1) of the Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 filed on June 24, 2009.

At column 28, line 65 (claim 9, line 1) of the printed patent, change “olefin-modified polystyrene-based” to ---styrene-modified polyolefin-based---. This appeared incorrectly on page 4, line 22 (claims 10, line 1) of the Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 filed on June 24, 2009.

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At column 30, line 3 (claim 14, line 1) of the printed patent, change “olefin-modified polystyrene-based” to ---styrene-modified polyolefin-based---. This appeared incorrectly on page 6, line 1 (claims 15, line 1) of the Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 filed on June 24, 2009.

At column 30, line 7 (claim 15, line 1) of the printed patent, change “olefin-modified polystyrene-based” to ---styrene-modified polyolefin-based---. This appeared incorrectly on page 6, line 5 (claims 16, line 1) of the Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 filed on June 24, 2009.  
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At column 30, line 12 (claim 16, line 1) of the printed patent, change “olefin-modified polystyrene-based” to ---styrene-modified polyolefin-based---. This appeared incorrectly on page 6, line 10 (claims 17, line 1) of the Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 filed on June 24, 2009.

At column 30, line 16 (claim 17, line 2) of the printed patent, change “olefin-modified polystyrene-based” to ---styrene-modified polyolefin-based---. This appeared incorrectly on page 6, line 14 (claims 18, line 1) of the Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 filed on June 24, 2009.

Therefore, it is respectfully requested that a Certificate of Correction issue in the above-identified patent as follows:

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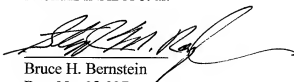
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Should there be any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed number.

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